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(SBU) On December 8, the DCM, together with the British Deputy High Commissioner, stressed to Mr. S.M.K. Sella, Head of International Development Cooperation at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the urgency of a United Nations assessment mission to Darfur and support for the Finnish draft resolution. Sella said that this would be the "right course" and that "anything toward peace in Darfur, Tanzania is for." The DCM highlighted the positive influence which Tanzania could yield in urging other African states to address the dire situation in Darfur and ultimately, in upholding the credibility of the Human Rights Council. Mr. Sella thanked the DCM for giving Tanzania this credit and promised to work immediately since the December 12 Special Session on Sudan was "just around the corner."

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